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FOUND INDICTMENTS IN INVINCIBLES CASE.

Madison County Grand Jury Returns True Bills Against Boals. Bairman and Gregory.

CHARGE ATTEMPTED EXTORTION

Accused Were Arrested Last February and Dismissed at Preliminary Examination.

The Grand Jury of the Madison County Circuit Court completed, Thursday afterns ever held in any term of that court One of the most important results of its abors was the returning of indictments in the celebrated "Invincibles" case, which is of especial interest to farmers in the Amerscan Bottoms. The indictments number four, and are directed against Boals, Fairman and Gregory, the three men arrested ne months, ago charged with attempting to extort money by means of threats.

The jury was in session twenty-one days. examined 251 witnesses, found seventy-five indictments, two untrue bills and ignored three for lack of sufficient evidence. Foreman M. S. Link reported the completion of the work to Judge Silas Cook of East St Louis at 4 o'clock, turned over the indictments and the jury was discharged.

The Grand Jury spent much time investigating the celebrated "Invincibles" case. which kept the American Bottom in a ferment for five weeks during January and February. The case originated in an effort to extort money from wealthy farmers by means of threats. Letters were received by Fred Penning, Leonard Hoehns, George Schillinger and John Huebener, demanding \$1.400. Specifications were made as to the manner of delivering the money, which was to be placed in a buggy and taken out a lonely road, and threats were made that if the money were not forthcoming the homes stacks and barns burned, and their

These remarkable threats, which followed cless upon the Kidnaping of young Cudahy and were patterned to some extent after that incident, wrought up the entire section of the sountry. The excitement increased when, notwithstanding patrols of armed guards, parties approached the home of George Schillinger and fired through the window. Sherin Hots and a force of detectives took hold of the case and arrested John L. Boals of Alton, Attorney Willis L. Fairman of Upper Alton, and Nic Gregory of Oldesburg. Story of Former Arrests.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought their respective communities, and their arrests occasioned a sensation. When the men were brought up for preliminary hearing State Attorney R. J. Brown moved to dismiss, and it was the general understanding that the matter would be tested by the

Grand Jury.
There are two indictments against Boals and Fairman and two against Boals, Fairman and Gregory. Gregory has been in jail since his arrest, and the authorities expect to land Boals and Fairman in the county jail Friday morning. The indictments charge attempt to extort money, and the

Election Officials Indicted. The recent village election in Madison was also dealt with. Indictments were returned against James Huston, Louis Schmiz and Asa Green, judges, for violapost specimen ballots; for receiving more than one vote from H. Clapp, and for permitting outsiders to vote. There are four counts, and in one the additional names of Fred Dalton, William Street and J. Louis Arras are included on the charge of conspiring to unlawfully influence the result of an election.

Three magistrates were indicted for misconduct in office-B. C. Few of Alton, William Suhre and John Ost, Other indictments aré as follows: William Ballhorm, formerly Alderman at

Venice, for illegal voting at the election on April 16: Frank M. Bauer and Orum B. Schultz, assault, two counts; Elbert J. Parks and Edward McMabon, attempted burglary; Charles Gannon and Fred Ford, assault; Charles Bell, larceny; Mary N. Ryder, perjury; Thomas Carr, Mrs. Thomas Carr, Henry Daubendick, H. R. Ruhlmann, R. Swanhelson, John Sikora, William Lampe, keeping gaming devices; Patrick Heaben, larceny; Christ Ulrich, Louis Willls, Joseph Nolan, Charles Basche, Frank Krone, William Knufinke, Henry Diehle, William Kuennemann, William Roth, Gott. Buhrer, John Schmidt, William Muhs, Fred Meyer, Catherine Heinemann, William Moellenbroock, Louis Pfister, Ed Rode, Baptiste Ardison, Fred Martin, Anton Gaisat, John Voight and Charles Lexow, seiling liquor without a license.

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NEGRO PORTER CUTS RAILROADER. New Relay Station Scene of Serious Stabbing Afray.

John Byron, a railroad employe, was se verely cut by Harvey Kaver, a negro porter at Relay Station in East St. Louis, Thursday night. Byron says Kaver used the knife without provocation. He stated that he started to enter the tollet-room of the sta-tion to wash his hands and Kaver told him not to go in. As he was turning to go out he says Kaver drew a knife and began cut-ting him. Byron sustained two gashes in the right side and a wound on the back of the head. He was taken to St. Mary's Hos-pital and Kaver was locked up at the police

Wife Dead, Husband Very III.
REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Murphysboro, III., April 25.—Mrs. Philip
Carbaugh, 74 years old, died Thursday of
pneumonia. Her husband is bedfast with
same disease and will not recover.

Editor Thompson Promoted.
Cincinnati, O., April 25.—D. D. Thompson of Chicago, the assistant editor, was Thursday elected editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate to succeed Doctor Edwards, deceased, by the Methodist Book Committee.

NEWS FROM EAST SIDE CITIES.

BRIDAL PARTY WAS REFUSED ADMISSION.

Mrs. Bowman Would Not Let Her Son Be Married in Her House.

Mrs. Thomas Bowman of No. 635 North Seventh street, East St. Louis, objected to her son's choice of a bride and refused to allow him to be married at home. George A. Bowman and Miss Carrie Stark

have been sweethearts for some time. Young Bowman did not inform his mother of his intention of getting married until Thursday morning. She was much surprised and entered serious objections. The young man was obdurate, however, and said the ony was to be performed that evenceremony was to be performed that evening. He procured a license from Deputy Clerk John Wheeler and engaged Justice George A. Boyne to tie the knot. In the afternoon Bowman and his prospective bride, accompanied by the Justice, went to the Bowman home with the intention of getting married. The party was met at the door by Mrs. Bowman, who said: "The ceremony can't be performed here." She then proceeded to lecture her son severely for presuming to marry without first consulting her. The Justice withdrew when he saw that his services would not be required.

quired.

The couple hope to secure the consent of Mrs. Bowman and have the marriage take place Friday. In the meanwhile they are stopping with friends.

TRAMPS CHARGED WITH MURDER. Three Men Taken From Train Will Be Returned to Kentucky.

Special Officer eGorge Baer of the Illinois Central Railroad on Thursday morning arrested three tramps who rode into East St. Louis on the trucks of a passenger train. The men were charged with being implicated in the killing of a flagman named Lucias at Glasgow, Ky., the night before. The men strenuously denied all knowledge of the affair, but Thursday evening a tramp who had been arrested at Glasgow was who had been arrested at Glasgow was brought to East St. Louis and identified the men as being in the crowd at the time of the killing. The men will be returned to Kentucky.

WORKED THE PHOTOGRAPHER. dered Out of Town.

Two well-dressed women with a smooth game attempted to work Photographer E. F. Brockmeyer of East St. Louis Thursday. The police stopped their game before it had fairly started, and the women were glad to be allowed to leave town without serving a fall sentence. fairly started, and the women were glat to be allowed to leave town without serving a jail sentence.

The women had a coupon scheme to advertise the photographer's business, which, they said, had been worked successfully in a number of large cities. They had small books containing five coupons each. Four of the coupons called for a dozen photos and a large framed picture of the subject, for which the customer paid \$4.50. The fifth coupon entitled the holder to a half dozen photos for 50 cents, payable to the agent, which was the agent's commission for selling the other four coupons.

Brockmeyer thought it a good scheme and agreed to allow them to use his name. The women then went out to sell the coupons. In a short while a little girl walked into Brockmeyer's gallery and called for half a dozen photos, presenting one of the 50-cent coupons in payment. ter to Chief Hauss. An officer was sent out to intercept the two women and they were soon landed at the station.

They put up a bold front at first and claimed they were doing what their agreement with Brockmeyer called for, but when Chief Hauss proposed that they take their satchels and leave town they accepted his proposition in a hurry. They had sold the coupons for free sittings without making an effort to sell the others.

East St. Louis Notes.

two young men arrested Wednesday morn-ing by Officers Mansfield and Sullivan, charged with attempted housebreaking, were bound over to the Grand Jury in the sum of \$500 each by Justice Oehler Thurs-

-Frank Porter and Samuel Jackson, arrested on the charge of shoplifting in Beckers store, were arraigned before Justice Oehler Thursday. They were bound over to the Grand Jury in the sum of \$250 each. Porter was fined \$300 and costs for carrying concealed weapons.

concealed weapons.

George Lavery, a brakeman employed by the Burlington, fell from the top of a box car in East St. Louis Thursday morning and was severely bruised. He was removed to St. Mary's Hospital.

Julius Miller, a grocer of No. 451 Collinsville avenue, who is under \$500 bond on a charge of larceny, failed to appear at the trial Wednesday, and the police have been unable to locate him. He is charged with being implicated in the stealing of several sacks of coffee, valued at \$250.

The thirty-second annual meeting of Congregational ministers at the Goodrich Memorial Church in Alta Sita was brought to a close Wednesday evening. It was decided to build a new church in Alta Sita -Miss Bessie McClellan of North Ninth street was married to Ben A. Reed, a prom-inent business man of Edgerton, Mo., Wednesday night. -Miss Nellie Winters and Daniel McMillan_were married at St. Patrick's Church

on Thursday afternoon. -Miss Iva Middleton and William C. Mal-lett, aged 19 years, were married Wednes--Mrs. Henry E. Schultz, aged 47 years, and Henry B. Willige, aged 52 years, were married Thursday morning. —Miss Clara Sternkopf and Henry Mitt-zenway, Assistant Comptroller of East St. Louis, were married Wednesday evening. —James J. Jeffries and his play, "The Man from the West," are scheduled to ap-pear at McCaskand's Opera-house in East St. Louis Sunday night.

East St. Louis Personals.

-Mrs. James Fisher of North Third street is visiting relatives in Bloomingstreet is visiting relatives in Murphysboro.

—Mrs. M. E. Tarleton of No. 636 North
Ninth street is visiting relatives in Mexico, Mo. -Mrs. George Robinson of Evansville, Ind., is the guest of friends and relatives in East St. Louis.

-Mrs. J. Magner of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. R. Eddy of North Third street. -Mrs. Lotta Wait of Kirkwood, Mo., is the guest of Mrs. M. Dickey of No. 636 Col-linsville avenue. linsville avenue.

-Miss Katherine Sullivan of No. 1227 Gaty avenue is visiting friends in Bellevile. -Miss May Luney of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. M. J. Eddy of No. 551 Chartrand avenue.

-Miss Gertrude Pool of Mount Vernon is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Pool, of St. Louis avenue.

Louis avenue.

The Sionilli Club gave a dancing party in Launtz's Hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. George Schindler of No. 206 Collinsville avenue is visiting relatives in Cen-

BELLEVILLE.

Believille Happenings.

-Mrs. Thomas Cook, living at Ogle Station, six miles west of Believille, mistook carbolic acid for cough medicine, and, though she did not swallow any of the fluid, her mouth and lips were severely burned. The acid and cough medicine were kept in similar bottles in the cupboard. Late in the night Wednesday Mrs. Cook was awakened with a cough and arose to take a dose of the cough remedy. She got the acid bottle first and poured out a teaspoonful and put it in her mouth. The tasts of the acid, however, prevented her from swallowing it, and she ejected it.

-Milosh R. Hilgard of Belleville, now serving in the Philippines, was among the 588 Lieutenants appointed to the regular army by the War Department Wednesday. Young Hilgard is a son of Mrs. Anna Hilgard, and is one of Belleville's most highly estremed young men. He enlisted in Company D. Fourth Illinois Infantry, in 1898, as a Corporal, and was elected to the lieutenancy of his company. He was mustered out May 2, 1898, and was appointed First Lieutenant of the Forty-fifth Regu-Believille Happenings.

lar United States Volunteers in November of the same year.

—Assessor B. E. Pelletier and Vic Moser of Centerville Township became involved in a quarrel Wednesday and Pelletier struck his opponent on the head with a cane. He then went to a Justice of the Peace and pleaded guilty. He was assessed a small fine.

—The marriage of Frank Bisson and Miss

Peace and pleaded guilty. He was assessed a small fine.

The marriage of Frank Bisson and Miss Louisa De Croucher of Centerville Station was celebrated at St. Phillip's Church Thursday morning.

—Special services were conducted Thursday at St. Peter's Cathedral in honor of the thirteenth anniversary of the consecration of Bishop Janssen. Solemn high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock. The parochial schools were closed all day. In the evening the young men of St. John's Young Men's Society presented a three-act drama entitled "The Lutzower."

—Joseph H. McMurdo has been appointed Assistant State Attorney for East St. Louis to take the place of Mike Carroll, who has resigned the position. McMurdo will remove his family to East St. Louis and take charge of the office May 1.

TRI-CITIES.

TO MAKE WAR ON RODENTS. Granite City's Darktown Residents Will Kill Rats.

A wholesale war on rats may be proposed by the residents of Darktown, Granite City. Many persons living there have been conducting an exhaustive investigation, and the conclusion has been reached that the many rodents there are a menace to humankind. Gray rats and even white mice burrow in and out of the Mississippi River levee which forms the dividing line between the settlement and the bottom lowlands. It is declared that the animals spread all sorts of contagion and destroy hundreds of dollars' worth of property. Rat hunting is the favorite sport among the small boys living in Darktown, but the rodents are said to be far too numerous to be exterminated by killing them off with firearins and clubs.

BURSTS BLOOD VESSEL WRESTLING Elocutionist Showalter Severely Injured in a Friendly Bout.

Harry N. Showalter, the well-known Tri-City elocutionist and rolling-mill expert, ruptured a blood vessel Thursday while struggling in a wrestling bout with Rhea Horton,a friend.

Showalter became very iil, and Doctors Tulley and Binney were hurriedly sum-moned. He was better Thursday night and expects to leave Granite City for Sharon, Pa., the latter part of the week.

—Mmes. Moithrop and Simpson of Granite City will entertain the Moithrop Progressive Euchre Club next Thursday night
at the Hotel Moithrop.

—Miss of Bunker Hill, Ill., is the
guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harlan of
Madison. Tri-City Personals. Madison.

—C. L. Windeler of Edwardsville visited friends in Granite City Thursday.

—Doctor and Mrs. Tulley of Granite City attended Mrs. Leslie Carter's production of "Zaza" at the Olympic Theater, St. Louis, Thursday night.

Tri-City Items.

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The Tri-City and Horseshoe Lake electric line has been surveyed and the right-of-way staked off. The work of building the road may be commenced within the next two weeks.

The East Side Medical Society met at the home of Doctor Tulley in Granite City Wednesday night. All present took part in a discussion on the treatment of pneumonia. Special addresses were delivered by Doctors J. S. Chase, Charles R. Kiser and S. H. Reynolds.

Anumber of Granite City rolling mills —A number of Granite City rolling mills are shut down on account of a shortage in material, but will probably resume operation Saturday.

ALTON.

Sixteen-Year-Old Bride. Alton had a 16-year-old bride Thursday, in Miss Stella Miller. She was licensed to marry Robert Lincoln, aged 22 years. The couple were accompanied by the bride's mother, who gave her consent to Deputy Marriage License Clerk, Frank A. Bierbaum, before the coveted document was issued. They then proceeded to the office of Justice Francis Brandeweide, who performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln will reside in Alton.



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and Mrs. T. Fisher of Alton, was found at Oldenberg, Thursday afternoon, on his way to St. Louis. The lad disappeared from his home Tuesday evening and until Thursday the police were unable to get any trace of him. When overtaken, he said that he had started for St. Louis to visit relatives.

Alton Notes.

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-Henry Cunningham, whose death occurred in St. Louis Tuesday, was buried at Alton Thursday. The funeral took place from SS. Pefer and Paul's Cathedral, the Reverend Father Thomas E. Cusack singing the requiem. The burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

-The Reverend W. C. Logan of Nokomis, Ill., Thursday sold the southwest quarter of block is, in Smith's addition to the City of Alton, to George W. Russell, for \$1.300. The Reverend Mr. Logan was formerly pastor of Twelfth Street Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Alton.

-The Sparks flouring mills at Alton were started Thursday morning after several days' shutdown for repairs. More extensive repairs were contemplated, but on account of market conditions the mills were compelled to resume operations.

-The Reverend Father J. B. Wand, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church at Alton, gave a banquet Wednesday evening to the members of St. Mary's Dramatic Club, in St. Mary's School Hall.

-The Katherine Ridgeway Concert Company of Chicago will appear at Chapel Hall, Shurtleff College, Thursday evening, May 2. The concert will be under the auspices of the Upper Alton Woman's Club.

-James Vine and Miss Tillib Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Clark of Williams street, Alton, were married Wednesday evening at the parsonage of the First Presbyterian Church by the Reverend H. K. Sapborne. Mr. and Mrs. Vine will make their home on Williams street.

-Thursday evening in the week of dedicatory exercises of the First Baptist Church

make their home on Williams street.

-Thursday evening in the week of dedicatory exercises of the First Baptist Church at Alton, was given to a consecration meeting of the members of the congregation. The Reverend Doctor M. W. Twing, the pastor, has charge of the exercises. Friday evening the concluding service of the week will be devoted to an informal social gathering at the new church.

-Miss Grace Watson of Alton has been elected president of the senior class of the Monticello Seminary at Godfrey.

-The Reverend G. W. Shepperd, pastor of Sixth Street M. E. Church at Alton, delivered a lecture in the City Hall Thursday evening on "Fraternal Brotherhood."

JUDGE WAS ALSO PROSECUTOR. Had Caused the Arrest of Three Street Mendicants.

Judge Sidener of the First District Police Court acted as judge and prosecuting wit-ness in three cases which came before him Thursday morning.

John Murphy and Owen and Henry Mc-Cabe were arraigned on a charge of begging in the vicinity of Eleventh and Hick-ory streets. Judge Sidener caused their ar-rest Wednesday afternoon, he having been accosted by them.
"I am already acquainted with the facts in these cases," said the Judge, Owen Mc-Cabe was fined \$2. The other two were Tr

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FIRED AT BY A THIEF.

Herman Heinz Discovered Him Carrying Away Solder. Carrying Away Solder.

Herman Heins of No. 1309 Howard street, a driver for the Witte Hardware Company of No. 704 North Third street, was fired upon by a thief whom he discovered stealing a lot of soldering lead Thursday afternoon. Heins called to the fellow to stop and ran toward him, whereupon the introductive a revolver, fired three shote at Heins and then ran.

Policemen Dockery and Fizgibbon of the Fourth District saw him running and aversed him after a chase.

The prisoner gave the name of Edward Wilson. Heins identified him and swore out warrants against him, charging pettil larceny and assault to kill.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Warrensburg, Mo., April 26.—Miss Jeans Hickman and Mr. Charles Clay, two of Warrenburg's society people, were margined Thursday.